

# Memorandum

## NOTICE OF DETERMINATION

**TO:** State Clearinghouse  
Office of Planning and Research  
1400 Tenth Street, Room 222  
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**FROM:** Department of Parks and Recreation  
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P.O. Box 942896  
Sacramento, California 94296-0001

**SUBJECT:** Filing of Notice of Determination in compliance with Section 21108 of the Public Resources Code

Project Title: Boardwalk Construction

State Clearinghouse Number: 2003021077

Contact Person: Tina Robinson

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Project Location: Point Dume Natural Preserve

**Project Description:** The proposed Boardwalk Construction Project is at Point Dume Natural Preserve in the Angeles-Malibu Sector. The project consists of installing approximately 1100 linear feet (LF) of accessible boardwalk. Approximately 450 LF will be constructed along an existing trail. The entire new boardwalk will be ADA accessible with ramps and continuous handrails, viewing platforms, rest areas, and benches similar to the existing boardwalk and view deck. The elevated boardwalk will consist of approximately 210 posthole footings that are 12" in diameter and range in depth from 2' minimum to 6' maximum. Increased use and changes in recreational patterns have resulted in facilities that are inadequate or degraded by existing demands. This project will improve visitor services, improve public interpretation of the resource values, protect public health and safety, bring facilities into compliance with the American with Disabilities Act (ADA) and current codes, protect and improve natural resources and park aesthetics, and support continued use and maintenance of park facilities.

☒ The California Department of Parks and Recreation has approved the project, and has made the following determinations regarding the project:

☐ The California Department of Parks and Recreation has reviewed the final EIR, and certifies that it has been prepared in conformance with the requirements of the California Environmental Quality Act, and in approving the project, has made the following determinations regarding the project:

- 1 ☒ The project will not have a significant effect on the environment.  
☐ The project will have a significant effect on the environment.
- 2 ☒ A Negative Declaration was prepared pursuant to the provisions of the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA).  
☐ A Final Environmental Impact Report has been completed in compliance with CEQA, and has been presented to the decision-making body of this Department for its independent review and consideration of the information contained in the Final EIR prior to approval of the project.

- 3 ☒ Mitigation measures ☒ were ☐ were not made conditions of project approval.
- 4 ☒ A Statement of Overriding Considerations ☐ was ☒ was not adopted for this project.
- 5 ☒ Findings ☐ were ☒ were not made on environmental effects of the project.

The EIR or negative Declaration and record of project approval may be examined at:  
Southern Service Center, California Department of Parks & Recreation, 8885 Rio  
San Diego Drive, Suite 270, San Diego, CA 92108.

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Date Received for Filing

Original Signed By: Bill Berry \_\_\_\_\_  
Signature  
Deputy Director Park Operations \_\_\_\_\_  
Title  
April 8, 2003 \_\_\_\_\_  
Date